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HAGMAN ADDRESSES PRADO PARK REPAIRS

Chino, CA – Today, Supervisor Hagman released a statement addressing recent inquiries by residents about Prado Park Lake being drained.

Hagman stated, "If you have plans to visit Prado Regional Park in the coming months you may notice the lake is going through some changes. San Bernardino County park officials began to drain the lake to repair a network of concrete pipes from the lake's diversion system."

There are three diversion pools in the lake that remove waste and other debris from the water. The water then diverts down through a concrete tube and washes out next to the lake. Those concrete tubes have cracks in them from the normal wear and tear causing the water to not properly divert water. The result of the water not properly diverting could be mosquitos congregating over stagnant water.

"We want to ensure that the infrastructure is properly maintained and running. As soon as the proper repairs are made, the lake will be filled up and restocked with fish, including large-mouth bass." Along with the restocking the fish, County Parks plans to add dead trees to the lake floor to provide places for the fish and turtles to hide from predators. Hagman continued, "The reservoir is expected to return to its normal capacity sometime at the end of summer."

Elected to the Board of Supervisors in 2014, Hagman played an important role in the return of Ontario International Airport to local control in 2015 and serves on the powerful five person OIAA that runs the Airport. As Vice-Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, Hagman has a leadership role in the direction of San Bernardino County and has moved to emphasize jobs and economic growth as his top political priorities.

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